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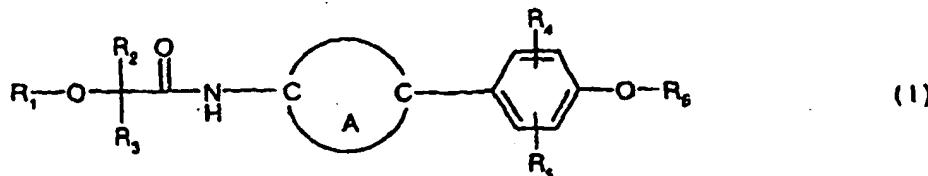
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to N-bisaryl- and N-aryl-cycloalkylidenyln-*a*-hydroxy- and *a*-alkoxy acetic acid amides of the general formula (I) including the optical isomers thereof and mixtures of such isomers, wherein R<sub>1</sub> is hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl; C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkenyl; C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkynyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>haloalkyl; R<sub>2</sub> is hydrogen; optionally substituted alkyl; optionally substituted alkenyl or optionally substituted alkynyl; R<sub>3</sub> is optionally substituted aryl or optionally substituted heteroaryl; A is an optionally substituted saturated or unsaturated C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-cycloalkylidene, optionally substituted phenylidene or optionally substituted saturated or unsaturated heterocyclidene bridge, R<sub>4</sub> and R<sub>5</sub> are each independently hydrogen or an organic radical, and R<sub>6</sub> is hydrogen; tri-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl-silyl; di-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl-phenylsilyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>alkyl-diphenylsilyl; triphenylsilyl; optionally substituted alkyl; optionally substituted alkenyl or optionally substituted alkynyl. The compounds possess plant-protecting properties and are suitable for protecting plants against

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